

FISCAL NOTE

HB 1194 - SB 1263

April 29, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Extends the tuition waiver at public colleges and universities for dependent children of prisoners of war, MIAs, and soldiers killed during periods of armed conflict to dependent children under 24, instead of 21, years of age.

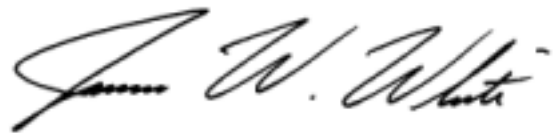
ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Estimate assumes an increase in state expenditures for the tuition waiver for such children for up to three additional years. It is assumed that the number of such dependent children who are between the age of 21 and 24, who would be eligible for and take advantage of such tuition waiver, is relatively small. Therefore, such increase in state expenditures is estimated to be not significant since it is unknown how the increase in the age limit would impact future participation.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director